

Personal Notes...

Of Actonians Visiting Out-of-Town Points and of Visitors in Acton Homes.

Items of interest to be included in these columns should be telephoned to 174 or sent to the Free Press Office.

Mr. George Higgins of Aurora was home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, Esq. visited with Mrs. George Chapman and Miss Madge Chapman last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Gregory and Pamela visited with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill, over the week-end.

Friends in Acton were glad to learn this week that Mrs. Melbourne Overholt is in better health and returned to her home in Toronto from Wellesley Hospital last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dills and Miss Etta Dills attended the funeral in Hamilton on Tuesday of their cousin, Miss Mary Edna Moore.

Mrs. L. W. Hewitt of Stratford visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Leishman on Monday and attended the funeral of the late James Lamb at Sodom.

After studying for several months at the University of California, Miss Bertha Brown and Miss Zella McCartney are staying at present with Miss Fern Brown.

Visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Denis Hill, Faye and Blake of Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Gordon, Brenda and Gregory of Guelph.

Elect Officers Of Halton County LOL

Halton County L.O.L. met in Milton for its annual meeting and election of officers on Saturday, February 17th, 1951.

A large turnout from the primary lodges of Campbellville, Acton, Georgetown, Bronte, Hornby and Milton was present.

Wor. Bro. G. Keyes, Deputy Grand Master for Ontario West, was present as Wor. Master for this occasion. Officers elected were as follows: Wor. Master, Bro. S. Leonard; Dep. Master, Bro. P. Hall; Chaplain, H. Brownridge; Rec. Secretary, H. Kelly; Fin. Secretary, G. Collins; Treasurer, C. B. Beatty; Mfr. J. Fox; 1st Lec., McLellan; 2nd Lec., J. Wilson and C. Brooks. Milton L.O.L. 2388 honored Bro. Leonard Maude and Bro. George Allan, both of Milton, who were made Honorary Members of Milton and Grand Lodge and given their Honorary Certificates.

CATHARINE LINFOOT WEDS C. J. MEREDITH IN ROCKWOOD CHURCH FEB. 17

A lovely mid-winter wedding took place in St. John's Anglican Church, Rockwood last Saturday, February 17th, when Catharine Elizabeth Linfoot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Lorne Linfoot, Harris St., Rockwood was united in marriage to Cecil John Meredith, also of Rockwood. Rev. W. G. Luxton officiated for the ceremony in a setting of spring flowers. Given away by her father, the bride wore a gown of brocaded tulle with a Peter Pan collar. Aided bodice and long sleeves pointed at the wrist. Her finger tip veil was held by a Juliet cap and she carried red roses.

The maid of honor, Miss Patricia Linfoot and the bridesmaid, Miss Norma C. Linfoot, sisters of the bride, were gowned in moss green satin with matching headresses and carried bouquets of pink carnations.

The best man was Murray Thatcher and the ushers Keith Hamilton and Jack Alton, all of Rockwood. Mrs. Luxton played the wedding music and Miss Patricia Linfoot sang "Because."

After the ceremony, about sixty guests gathered at the Elizabeth Room of the Royal Hotel, Guelph where they were received by Mrs. F. L. Linfoot, wearing navy blue with pink accessories and Mrs. Ed Alton, aunt of the groom, who chose a navy flowered dress with pink.

After a trip to Buffalo, N.Y., the couple will live in Rockwood. Guests attended from London, St. Mary's, Buffalo and Cleveland.

Acton High School News

Last Friday when the Eye Openers were sold, all that was heard was the cracking of paper and then silence. Then laughter was heard from some and disgusted looks from others pervaded the room but considering that the ditto machine broke down, the paper ran out, and a few stencils were ruined, the paper that was turned out was quite a success. The competition held in Grade 9 as to who could draw the best cover was won by Hugh Sims.

The basketball game which has been pending for the past few weeks and which has been postponed about three times was finally held at the Y at 8 p.m. Wednesday night.

Next on the agenda is a volleyball game also between Acton and Milton High Schools. On the team are Fred Euringer, Don Dawkins, Dick Wood, Bob Bruce, Crawford Douglas, Jack Davidson, Don Davidson and Paul Lawson.

Last Thursday at assembly Mr. Robbins showed us another film taken in England. In this film we saw the changing of the Guard in front of Buckingham Palace. The Guards are changed every two hours in a very colorful ceremony. Next assembly we will see the film of Holland and Belgium.

Coming events for A.H.S. include a visit to Toronto, March 7th, in the morning to the museum and in the afternoon to the Parliament buildings to see Parliament in session.

The three representatives of A.H.S. who will be going to Toronto on March 23 are Carolyn Oakes, Yvonne Brunelle and Crawford Douglas. They will represent Acton in a 300 voice choir at Eaton Auditorium. This will be a great opportunity for these three people.

CAMPBELLVILLE Ladies' Aid Meets On Valentine's Day

Mrs. J. K. Mahon was hostess to the Ladies' Aid on Valentine's day. Mrs. G. Inglis opened the meeting with a Valentine poem. Mrs. J. Wallace gave two readings, the first "Mother tells her story and father gives his Version" and the second "The Painter". Mrs. D. Inglis had charge of the devotional period. The roll call was answered by naming "who sent you your most treasured Valentine?"

Reports were received from the secretary, treasurer, cheer secretary and the convener of the quilt committee and also a report of table linen and toweling purchased was made. A committee was appointed to arrange the menu for a supper to be held late in March and a programme committee was appointed for this supper.

Mr. Marshall Campbell gave a fine address basing his remarks on the importance of duty and love. One statement was, "Duty makes us do things well, but love makes us do things beautifully." The offering was dedicated by the president, Mrs. Menzies closed the meeting with prayer.

A social period followed, when all enjoyed the usual cup of tea.

TRY THIS ONE

Boil a hen's egg and remove the shell. Drop a match into a milk bottle to burn out the oxygen and create a partial vacuum. Set the egg on top of the bottle, and it will be drawn slowly through the neck. To remove, tip the bottle up so that the egg falls against the neck of the bottle, blow into the bottle. The egg acts as a valve and keeps the air in. Remove the bottle quickly from the lips and the pressure from within will shoot the egg out.

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LIMEHOUSE

Hall Euchres Held Wednesday, Friday

Winners at the W.A. sponsored euchre held in the hall on Wednesday were Mrs. James Noble and Mrs. Kirkpatrick with lucky number going to Mrs. E. Hazzard and birthday prize to Mrs. Ron Latimer. Previous to cards the ladies served hot meat pies with a valentine luncheon.

The Hall Board sponsored a euchre and dance in the hall on Friday evening. In spite of the weather a goodly number attended. Euchre prizes went to Mrs. George Burt and Mr. Clifford McDonald and seconds to Mrs. Harold Campbell and Mr. Jack Crichton. Miss Betty Currie won the door prize. The Rhythm Rubes provided music for the dance after lunch with Mr. R. L. Davidson as floor manager.

Miss Shirley Wright spent the week-end in Guelph where she visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Gordon.

Recent visitors with the Shelbourne's were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Powell; Douglas and Donnie of Lowville and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox of Erin.

Mr. A. C. Bourne was home from Ridley College for the week-end.

The W. Greenlee's of Campbellville were visitors with the A. W. Benton's on Sunday.

Mr. Jack Mahle is in Kitchener this week for a few days attending a Chrysler Motor school.

Mr. Clifford McDonald motored to Parry Sound last week-end.

Mrs. L. Tracey and Mrs. A. C. Patterson and Cyril Clarke and Wm. Mitchell won high prizes at the marathon euchre held on Tuesday night. Winning eight lone hands gave Mrs. R. L. Davidson another prize.

ROCKWOOD

Men's Club Hears Of Juvenile Court

The monthly meeting of the United Church Men's Club was held last Wednesday evening with a fair attendance. Mr. Ross Gordon, president, presided. Mr. John Rockwood led in a brief sing song followed by Mr. George Day giving a report of the previous meeting. A feature of the evening was an address by Mr. Dan Coughlin, probation officer of juvenile court in Guelph which was an interesting account of dealing with young offenders. A film in color was also shown on the screen, dealing with the livestock business in Africa. At the conclusion of the meeting, the gathering adjourned to the Sunday School room where refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

Saturday afternoon, St. John's Church was the scene of a lovely wedding when Catharine Elizabeth Linfoot, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Linfoot was united in marriage to Mr. Cecil J. Meredith with Rev. W. G. Luxton officiating and Mrs. Luxton playing the wedding music. Despite unfavorable weather, the edifice was filled to the doors.

Miss Vera Thatcher of Puslinch was home for the week-end.

Miss Mary Jolliffe of Toronto was home for the week-end.

Saturday evening a crokinole party was held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church which was well attended. Ten tables were in progress. Following this an auction sale of food and other articles was held in charge of Mrs. Roy Young and Mr. Albert E. Gray as the auctioneer and bidding was quite brisk for some articles. Following the sale, refreshments were served and a pleasant time spent before the young folks left for their homes at a late hour.

Previous to her marriage, Mrs. C. V. Meredith was the recipient of many lovely gifts from numerous friends who wish the happy couple all the good things life can offer through the years.

EVERTON

Small Attendance At Prayer Meeting

Prayer meeting was held last Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McCutcheon with a small attendance.

Week-end visitors with Mr. Ben Simons and Miss Edna Maude were Mr. Alfred Hazlem, St. Catharines and Mr. M. Maude Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Calender visited on Wednesday with Mrs. H. Pettit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patten and Diane, Guelph visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Alton.

Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benham and family were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morrell, Guelph.

Mrs. Walter Couling, Orangeville visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jestin and Bobby.

Mr. Gordon visited in Toronto and St. Thomas this week.

BALLINAPAD

Give Valentines As Roll Call Response

The Women's Association met on Tuesday, February 13th, at the home of Mrs. Robert McEnery, the president, Mrs. Smith presiding. The meeting opened with the creed and an opening hymn and the Lord's Prayer.

Mrs. McLean had charge of the devotional. Roll call was answered by an exchange of valentines. Several items of business were discussed.

Mrs. McLean had charge of the program consisting of a reading by Mrs. Jessie McEnery and two contests by Mrs. McLean. The meeting closed by singing a hymn and the Missal benediction after which a lovely lunch was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. May.

A number of children are out of school with measles.

Farm forum held a euchre in the hall on Tuesday night. Winners for the ladies were Mrs. John Leishman and Robert McEnery playing as a lady. Men's winners were Gordon Harding and Tom, Gibson.

NASSAGAWEYA S.S. No. 7

Two WI Branches Entertained in Hall

The Nassagaweya Branch of the Institute entertained in Brookville hall last Wednesday night, their guests being Badenoch branch and the Busy Bee branch. Progressive euchre was played for the first part of the evening. Following a bountiful lunch an old time dance was enjoyed to music provided by Mr. Stewart Elliott and Mrs. J. Barber.

The Busy Bee Institute met on Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Robinson. The meeting opened singing the Institute Ode. After a short business meeting and reports, Mrs. E. Davenport, convener of Agriculture and Canadian Industries took the chair, and asked the husbands and friends of members to join in the meeting.

A good program followed with solos by George Robinson, Martin Davenport, readings by Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Allan.

The guest speaker for the evening was Mr. A. Service of Milton. His subject was "Defeating communism on the home front." The meeting closed by all repeating the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Robinson conducted a contest, "Things Grandmother Did Not Have". The winners were Mrs. S. Cox and Mr. W. Kennedy. After lunch was served a sing song finished a pleasant social evening.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Oscar Locker whose uncle, Mr. H. Locker, was buried last Saturday in Acton.

OSPRINGE

WI Ladies Sponsor Euchre Last Friday

A goodly number attended the Women's Institute Euchre at the school on Friday evening. Prizes were won by Miss Doris Fines and Mrs. Percy Penavoy for high scores and Mrs. Thomas Fines received the Valentine birthday prize. Sandwiches, cake and cookies were served at the close by the committee in charge.

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Sincere sympathy is also extended to Mrs. Ronald Carney and family, 4th Line, in the passing of her husband after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Carney taught school here recently.

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Mrs. Flora McKenzie visited for a few days with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman McKenzie.

EDEN MILLS

Party, Cake Honor Birthday Quartet

A pleasant evening was spent in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark to celebrate the birthdays of Mrs. W. Early, Margaret Clark, Donald Clark and J. Milne. Cards were enjoyed and the hostess served a delightful lunch, topped by a huge birthday cake.

Mr. Ed Calvert renewed old acquaintances for a few days.

Measles are prevalent in the village, also some flu.

Mrs. A. Anderson spent a few days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Noble and Mr. Noble, in Guelph.

Mr. and Mrs. James Milne and family of Rockwood spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wilk Wilson.

The Edgewood Home and School held a very successful Box Social at the February meeting.

Mr. Joseph Lasby of Toronto spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lasby.

Mr. and Mrs. Beverley Ella entertained at their home in Campbellville at a surprise birthday gathering for Mrs. George Thomas. Cards were enjoyed and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess including a lovely cake suitably decorated. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas, Miss Darlene Thomas, Mr. Gordon Darby, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lowrie, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Inglis and Mr. and Mrs. Charles King.

On Saturday evening three tables of progressive euchre were enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thomas in Campbellville. High scorer for ladies was Mrs. Charles King, low Mrs. Lloyd Crawford. High for men was Beverley Ella, low Gordon Darby.

Several from this district attended the funeral of the late William Locker at Acton, also of the late James Lamb at Nassagaweya church.

The service in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday was under the Y.P.U. and Mr. Al Shoddy of Waterloo College had full charge of the service.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 1st

At 12:00 o'clock the following: HORSES - Gray Mare, 5 years old, 1500 lbs.; Black Gelding, 3 yr. old, 1650 lbs., a real good team; Brown Mare, 10 years old; Bay gelding, rising 3 year old, broken; Gray Gelding, rising 2 year old; 2 sets breeding harness; odd collars; blankets.

COWS - Red Cow, fresh, calf at foot; Black Cow, fresh calf at foot; Roan Cow, fresh 6 weeks; calf at foot; Red Heifer, fresh 2 months, calf at foot; Roan Heifer, milking well, bred Jan. 31; Roan Cow, milking well, bred Jan. 20; Roan Cow, milking well, bred Jan. 24; Roan Cow, milking, bred Nov. 10; Roan Cow, milking, bred Dec. 12; Red Heifer, milking, bred Jan. 4; Red Cow, milking, bred Feb. 7; Red Cow, fresh calf at foot; Roan Heifer, bred August 6; Red Cow, calf at foot, bred Sept. 25; Red Cow, fat (if not previously sold); Holstein Cow, bred Jan. 16; Holstein Cow, bred Nov. 12; Bull, registered shorthorn, Greenhill Tomplar 4th, reg. born May 16, 1948, bred by R. M. Mitchell.

YOUNG CATTLE - 3 fat Heifers, about 60 lbs.; 2 steers about 750 lbs.; 5 steers and heifers, two years old; 15 choice Durham calves, 6 months and under; 2 Holstein Heifers, 6 months old; 1 Holstein Bull Calf, wean; all cattle have passed recent T.B. test without a reactor.

SHEEP - 12 good Oxford ewes, due in April.

HOGS - good thrifty chunks; 1 sow with 10 litters, second litter; sow with second litter; 1 sow, bred Nov. 12; 1 goose; 1 gander.

POTATOES - 20 bags cobbiers, 10 for seeds, 10 bags Katahdins.

HAY, GRAIN AND ENSILAGE - 600 bus wheat; 800 bus oats; 20 ton well cured hay to be baled; 50 lbs. regaled red clover seed; 5 ft. ensilage pump.

DAIRY EQUIPMENT - DeLaval Sterling milking machine, 2 units, piping for 12 cows; M.H. No. 9 cream separator, electric, attachment used 6 months; milk strainer; pails.

TRACTOR AND IMPLEMENTS - Ford tractor, new in 1949, with 12" plow; Cockshutt double disc; Cockshutt manure spreader; cut-crank harrow; M.D. scuffler; hay tedder; P.H. turnip sower; rubber tired wagon with hay rack; farm wagon with gravel box; set sloop sleighs; Fleary walker plow; Chatham fanning mill.

MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT - Set high beam scales; electric brooder; coal brooder; 2 sap pans, new; set of short slings, new, complete; hay fork with pulleys & 110 ft. rope; pulper; wheel barrow; electric fence; 2-wheeled trailer with stock racks; circular saw with 2 saws; forge with electric motor; 1 emery; quarter h. p. electric motor; grindstone; quantity mixed lumber; leg vice; 10" pressure pump; new 13-hoe fertilizer and grain drill; M.H. 7 ft. binder; M.H. hay loader; Ideal giant mower; 1 steel land roller; Cockshutt manure spreader; cut-crank harrow; M.D. scuffler; rubber tired wagon with hay rack; farm wagon with gravel box; set sloop sleighs; Fleary walker plow; Chatham fanning mill.

TERMS: Cash settlement with clerk day of sale. All articles must be removed by March 10 or one has expired. Roads will be open. Refreshment booth on grounds. LINN AND DANCE, Auctioneers. L. W. McMillan, clerk.



LANA TURNER returns to the Roxy, Acton, Wednesday and Thursday next week in her first picture in two years, "A Life of Her Own", co-starred with ever-popular Ray Milland in the sophisticated romance of Kelly James, the girl from Kansas who took New York by storm and really lived a life of her own. Lana Turner is greater than ever.

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